the body, this is the A bill that goes with LB 974, which was the amendment to the Uniform Commercial Code, Sections 9-306. It would increase one person in the Secretary of State's Office for the short term. It is cash funds, it is not general funds, so it does not have a General Fund impact, and, in fact, in the long term even this money in the Cash Fund won't be needed as it will be a net revenue gainer as the bill has now been amended. But in short term, we do need to have one extra person, and, again, it is not...it has no General Fund impact, it is cash funds, so I would like to move the amendment or move the A bill.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Bernard-Stevens. Any discussion on the advancement of LB 974A. Seeing none, do you wish to close? No closing. The issue before the body is the advancement of LB 974A to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the advancement of LB 974A.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: LB 974A advances. We will turn now to LB 1243A.

CLERK: 1243A, offered by Senator Hall. (Read title.)

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Madam President and members. I was inclined to yield to Senator Bernard-Stevens and let him go three for three this morning on the A bills, but I won't. This provision is necessary because of an amendment that Senator Moore adopted to the bill dealing with the accountability and disclosure provisions, the changes with regard to expenditures or the cost of licensing one as a lobbyist. It merely is a reduction in the amounts that are already to be incorporated into the budget for these specific programs and then the cash funding that the bill incorporates would make up those monies. So I would just move the adoption of the...advancement of the A bill, 1243A, to catch up with the main bill in its place. Thank you very much.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Hall. Any discussion on the advancement of 1243A? Seeing none, Senator Hall, do you wish to close? No closing. The issue before the body is the advancement of LB 1243A to E & R Initial. All those in favor